WELCOME ABOAD PACKAGE MATSG-21 PENSACOLA, FL.





UNTIED STATES MARINE CORPS MARINE AVIATION TRAINING SUPPORT GROUP-21



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From: Commanding Officer, Marine Aviation Training Support Group 21

To: New Marines

Subj: **WELCOME ABOARD**

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to Marine Aviation Training Support Group (MATSG)-21and Naval Air Station Pensacola. I hope that all of you are eager to begin your careers in the Marine Corps and naval aviation. I am confident that the aviation technical training which you will soon commence will be academically challenging, professionally productive and personally rewarding.

Each of you just completed the first hurdle to reaching the Fleet Marine Force. That hurdle tested your physical, mental, and moral courage and earned you the title "UNITED STATES MARINE". Your actions, in and out of uniform, on base or in town, on duty or on leave, reflect on you not only as an individual but on all Marines. I expect you to uphold the standards of conduct, performance, and appearance our Corps demands from all Marines twenty-four hours a day. I also expect you to demand those same high standards from your fellow Marines and to not tolerate anything less. Your challenge is as it has always been of all Marines-to set the standards for others to follow.

I am confident that each of you will fully commit yourself to the successful completion of your training while assigned to MATSG-21. Remember, the training you are about to begin will lay the groundwork for your success as a vital member of Marine aviation.

Upon arriving on base your first stop should be the MATSG-21 headquarters (building 52). The duty posted will provide additional instruction that will be of assistance. Your first week will consist of a 5 day INDOC class. During this week all Marines will be weighed-in and those Marines overweight and not within body fat standards will be assigned to the Weight Control Program. If you have any questions,

DOLL NOMPERS	& HUUKS UF	UPEKAIIUN
PLACE	PHONE	HOURS

24 hrs

0800-1800

0500-2200

0800-1600

0900-1800 SUN 1000-150

0900-1800 SAT/SUN 1100

1000-2300 SAT/SUN 1100

0500-2200 SAT/SUN 1000

0900-1600 SUN CLOSED

0730-1600 PGR # AFTER

DOLL NOMPERS	& HUUKS UF	UPEKAIIUN
PLACE	PHONE	HOURS

452-5534

458-3339

458-3224

452-8000

452-2443

452-7813

452-2717

452-2317

452-2492

455-8574

MATSG Duty

EXCHANGE

POST OFFICE

RED CROSS

NAVY RELIEF

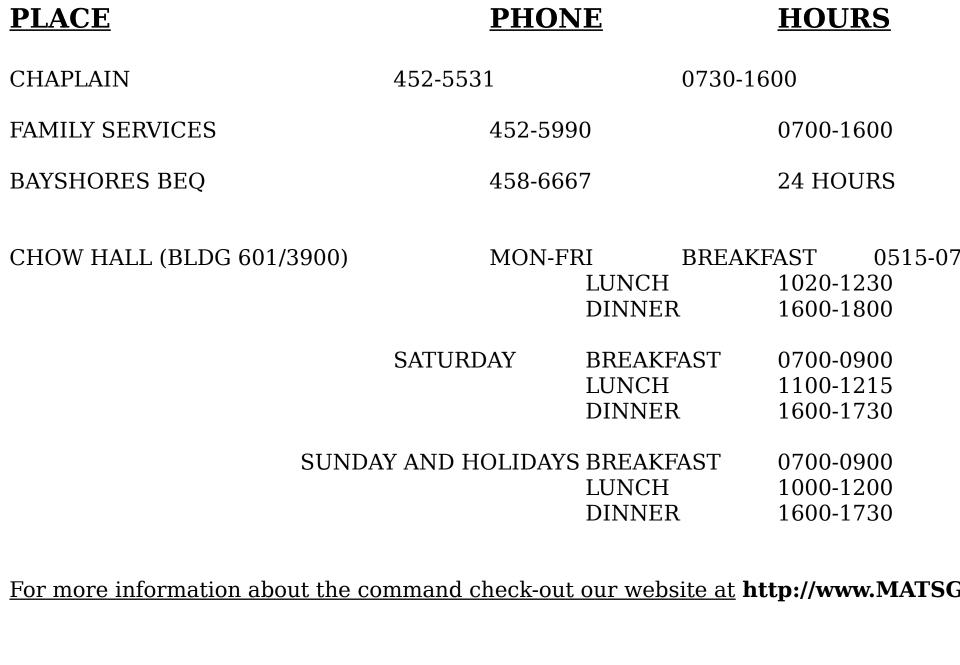
GYM

MWR

BARBER SHOP

GOSILINO'S (ITALIAN FOOD)

DUCKS (SPORT'S BAR)



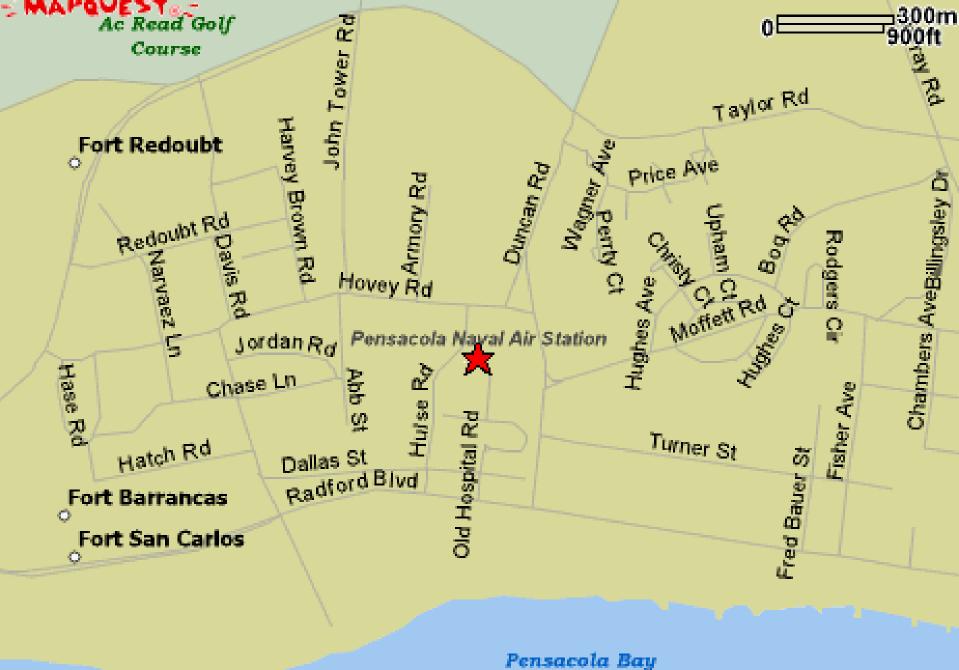
WHILE YOU ARE HERE

- 1. MILITARY COURTESY IS ALWAYS REQUIRED. GIVE VERBAL GREETINGS TO ALL PERSONNEL AND SALUTE ALL OFFICERS.
- 2. WHILE IN UNIFORM YOU WILL WALK SMARTLY IN STEP. GROUPS GREATER THAN FOUR WILL BE MARCHED.
- 3. MARINES ALWAYS LEAD UNITS/FORMATIONS AND A MARINE WILL BE THE UNIT LEADER. ALWAYS KEEP DRILL ON YOUR MIND.
- 4. MARCH TO AND FROM ALL SCHOOLS. FORMATIONS LARGER THAN EIGHT MUST HAVE ROAD GUARD VESTS.
- 5. UTILITY UNFORMS WILL NOT BE WORN OFF BASE EXCEPT WHILE TRAVELING TO AND FROM YOUR OFF-BASE RESIDENCE, SHORT STOPS FOR GAS, CHILD CARE DROP OFF/PICK UP AND LAUNDRY STOPS.
- 6. LOUD MUSIC IN THE BARRACKS OR FROM YOUR POV IS NOT TOLERATED AND IS A VIOLATION OF BASE REGULATIONS.
- 7. OBSERVE THE SPEED LIMIT ON BASE, IT IS WATCHED VERY CLOSELY BY BASE SECURITY. ALWAYS WATCH FOR PEDESTRIANS. SEAT BELT USE IS MANDATORY.
- 8. TO AVOID THEFT IN THE BARRACKS LOCK UP YOUR BELONGINGS AT

- 9. ETCH YOUR BELONGINGS WITH YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER.
- 10. CLEANLINESS AND APPEARANCE OF YOUR BARRACKS IS <u>YOUR</u> <u>RESPONSIBILITY</u>, KEEP YOUR ROOM SQUARED AWAY AT ALL TIMES.
- 11. AS YOU WALK AROUND MARINE AREAS, PICK UP ANY TRASH THAT IS BLOWING AROUND. THESE AREAS SHOW PRIDE IN "OUR MARINE CORPS".
- 12. YOUR PERSONAL APPEARANCE IS IMPORTANT. "LOOK LIKE A MARINE," AT ALL TIMES, IN AND OUT OF UNIFORM.
- 13. HAIRCUTS ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY. WEEKLY IS RECOMMENDED.
- 14. BODY PIERCING ON MARINES, AT ANY TIME, IS <u>UNACCEPTABLE</u>. APPROPRIATE EARRINGS ON FEMALE MARINES IS PERMITTED.
- 15. IDENTIFICATION CARDS, AND ROOM KEYS WILL BE CARRIED AT ALL TIMES.
- 16. EARPHONES ARE A HAZARD WHILE RUNNING. THEY ARE <u>ONLY</u> <u>AUTHORIZED</u> WHILE RUNNING ON AN APPROVED TRAIL.

THINGS TO ASK YOURSELF BEFORE GOING ON LIBERTY

- 1. IS MY SHIRT TUCKED IN? REMEMBER ANY SHIRT WITH INAPPROPRIATE VERE PRINTED ON IT IS <u>UNACCEPTABLE</u>. GREEN T-SHIRTS WILL NOT BE WORN AS ATTIRE.
- 1. IS MY PERSONAL APPEARANCE OUT OF UNIFORM IN LINE WITH MARINE COR STANDARDS?
- 1. AM I WEARING A BELT?
- 2. DO I NEED A HAIRCUT?
- 3. DO I NEED TO SHAVE?
- 4. HAVE I LOCKED MY VALUABLES IN MY WALL LOCKER?



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